

WCPX



REMOVABLE LABEL

GUIDES AND FOLDERS

MADE IN U. S. A.

CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/5

Form BC 126

June 1954 # 4818

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed October 12, 1970

Call letters W S B X

Station location Eden, North Carolina

RADIO EDEN, INC.(AL 11-5-70 EFT: 11-16-70

Name of licensee x Ray A. Childers and Robert L. Purcell d/b as RADIO EDEN

Transmitter location Morgan Ford Rd., 0.4 mi. N.W. from Intersec. of Aiken Rd., Eden, N.C.

113 N. Pierce St., Eden, North Carolina (PS 11-30-73)
x NE corner of Kings Highway and Highland Drive, Eden, North Carolina (LNC 4-27-70)

Main studio location Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-17,493	2-4-70 CP for a	1130	1kw	Day	4-4 10-4-70
BP-17,493(1)	4-13-70	new standard broadcasting station Call Letters Assigned			
BRC-3431(2)	4-27-70	Authority to operate trans. by RC and change SL.			
COMTEL	8-31-70	PSA	22.8w	protect	WNEW
BL-12,736(1)	10-12-70	Lic.(BP-17,493 as mod) for new station 12-1-72			
BAP-786	11-5-70	VOL Assignment of License EFF: 11-16-7			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-4818(S)	12-6-72	Renewal			
BS-4818(I)	11-30-73	ML chg. SL & RC			
BR-4818(S)	11-26-75	Renewal			
BR780728	7-20-79	renewal of license			
BTC801015FB	2-10-81	Vol TC EFF:			

Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters new

RAY A. CHILDERS AND ROBERT L. PURCELL, JR. as RADIO EDEN

Name

~~Ray A. Childers~~

Eden

Spray, North Carolina (P.O. Box 598, King, N.C. 27021)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-17,493	10-25-66	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be		
	10-27-66	operated on:		
Rec'd	10-27-66	Frequency: 1130kc		
Filed	10-27-66	Power: 1kw		
		Hours of operation: Daytime		
		Type transmitter: Gates Vanguard I		
SEE AMEND CARD #2		Trans. location: Morgan Ford Rd., 0.4 mi. NW		
		from Intersec. of Aiken Road, Spray, N.C.		
		Studio location: Same as transmitter		
		Atty: Maurice R. Barnes		
		Engr: Ray E. Rohrer & Assoc.		
		Requests for waiver of Sec. 1.569 granted and application accepted		
		for filing by Comm action of 12-18-66.		
		PETITION TO DENY filed 5-11-67 by James P. Riley behalf WLOE, Inc. (WLOE) Leaksville, N.C.		
		PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 5-19-67 by Barnes.		
		OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 6-5-67 by Barnes.		
		PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO REPLY filed 6-14-67 by Riley.		
		REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 6-22-67 by Riley		

CONTACT: RAY A. CHILDERS
PHONE: CODE 919; 983-3111 or 983-8625
ADDRESS: LAKE DRIVE
KING, NORTH CAROLINA

RESPONSE TO REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY
filed 7-19-67 by Powell, Jr. for Ray A. Childers.

PETITION TO RESPOND TO THE REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO
PETITION TO DENY filed 7-19-67 by Powell, Jr. for
Ray A. Childers.

MOTION TO STRIKE filed 7-20-67 by Fletcher for WLOE, Inc.
PETITION FOR DECLARATORY RULING OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE
WAIVER OF SEC. 1.571(j)(1) filed 11-2-67 by Dean George
Hill for Ray A. Childers

SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 5-15-68 by Fletcher
and Riley.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 5-24-68 by Hill.

OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 6-3-68
by Hill.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY
filed 6-10-68 by Fletcher and Riley for WLOE, INC.

REQUEST FOR RULING ON SECTION 1.525 OF THE RULES AND
REGULATIONS filed 7-23-68 by Dean Hill on behalf of
Radio Eden. Letter of 8-30-68 by Commission states
waiver not necessary.

FURTHER SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 8-14-68 by
Frank Fletcher on behalf of WLOE, Inc.

OPPOSITION TO FURTHER SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed
9-6-68 by Dean George Hill on behalf of applicant.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO FURTHER SUPPLEMENT filed 9-18-68
by Fletcher & Riley on behalf of WLOE, Inc.

FORM BC-121

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

CARD #2

Call
Letters new

RAY A. CHILDERS AND ROBERT L. PURCELL d/b as RADIO EDEN

Name

~~RAY-A-CHILDERS~~

EDEN, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-17,493	cont'd			
AMENDMENT	11-1-67	AMENDED to change station designation		
R & F	11-2-67	to Eden, North Carolina. (waiver of Sec		
		1.571(j)(1) granted and amend accepted		
		by Comm action of 3-13-68)		
MAR 20 1968				
RP R&F	5-6-68			
AMENDMENT R&F	4-29-68	AMENDED Sections II and III.	GRANTED	2-1-70
AMENDMENT R&F	6-3-68	AMENDED Section III.		
AMENDMENT	7-17-68	Change applicant's name to Ray A. Childers and		
R & F	7-23-68	Robert L. Purcell d/b as Radio Eden and		
AUG 10 1968		amend Sections II, III and engineering.		
AMENDMENT R&F	9-27-68	AMENDED Section III.		
Amend. R&F	1-17-69	Sec III		
AMANDMENT	6-18-69	Amended to show Community Survey & Needs.		
	9-5-69	Amended re Sections III and IV-A.		
	1-19-70	Amended letter concerning bank letter.		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1230kc

Call
Letters

RADIO EDEN, INC.

Name Radio Eden, Inc., 1111 N. Main St., Eden, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3431 R & F #595378 \$30	4-21-70 4-22-70 4-23-70	Ren. of CP(BP-17,493) to change studio location to NE Corner of Kings Highway and Highland Drive, Eden, North Carolina and operate by remote control from same location.	GRANTED	4-27-70
BL-786 R & F PFE PD: \$30 (Form 315)	7-16-70 7-17-70 #615987	Voluntary assignment of construction permit (BP-17493 as mod. which auth. a new standard B/C station) to RADIO EDEN, INC. Atty - Putbrese & Fletcher	GRANTED	11-5-70 EFT: 11-10-70
BL-12,736 R & F #62301.9 \$50. AC-067 PTA (1td) Amended PTA ext PRESS	8-3-70 8-4-70 8-4-70 8-14-70 8-31-70 8-31-70 OCT 5 - 1970	Lic.(BP-17,493, as mod.) for new Standard B/c station. (Trans: GATES, BC -1-G) RC. Atty: Putbrese & Fletcher Engr. data	GRANTED	10-12-70

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W C B X

Name RADIO EDEN, INC.
Eden, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4818 R & F P.N. PRESS SEP 8 1972	8-31-72 8-31-72 8-31-72	Renewal of License Atty.: Thomas W. Fletcher	Granted	12-6-72
BR-4818 R & F PN Recd. PRESS SEP 24 1975	7-28-75 7-31-75 " SEP 24 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Thos. W. Fletcher, Atty. AMENDED re: balance sheet & EEO AMENDED 1-31-77 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	11-26-75
BR780728VW R & F PRESS SEP 1 1978	7-25-78 7-28-78 SEP 1 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Gary S. Smithwick (Winston-Salem, N. C.) Ltr 12-23-80 re EEO	granted	7-20-79

#5

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WCBX

Name: RADIO EDEN, INC.

Station Location: Eden, North Carolina

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BTC801015FB Form 315 PRESS PN FILED ^{NOV 15} 11-17-80 ¹⁹⁸⁰		Vol TC from Ray A. Childers to Stone Broadcasting Corporation Atty-Gary S. Smithwick	GRANTED 2-10-81 EFF: 3-16-81

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

